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## **SPECIFIC COMMENTS TO AUTHORS**

This is an excellent study that suggest a possible correlation between a higher caloric and fat intake and the presence of functional GI symptoms in children with CD on a GFD. This study provide some answer for the residual refractory symptoms in treated coeliac patients. It is very well known that a high calorie in particular a high fat content is immunogenic and associated with inflammatory disorders. This is why a low fat diet is an essential part of Nutrition therapy in Crohn's disease as well. The study is well designed and beautifully written. I cant think of any additional limitation more than what the authors highlighted in the manuscript

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Very nice article dealing with functional gastrointestinal disorders, celiac disease and gluten-free diet. I just want to recommend to authors some changes to improve their manuscript before publication. Abstract: please write numbers of patients in methods and not in results. Introduction: is true, that typical CD symptoms, but “asymptomatic” fall under atypical forms. This is not exactly pronounced. It is also giving question if FGIDs are in relationships with atypical forms and this can be more explained in discussion. Results: please do not repeat information form methodology. Discussion: please discuss and some sentences are for conclusion. Other, is nice study and after these changed can be published.

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The study was well designed, evaluated the control of different types of gluten free diet on celiac disease in children, and reached interesting conclusions. I have two questions. First, whether the author can provide the original experimental data. The original data is not provided in the attachment of the article. Second, the study found that the prevalency of FGIDs could be related to the quantitative intake and the percentage of fat in the diet. For children with celiac disease, how to rationalize the quantitative intake? Does the author have any appropriate suggestions?